

Late Filing

Dear FCC Commissioners & Staff:

I am writing about Appropriate Framework for Broadband Access to the Internet Over Wireline Facilities, a proposal that has probably already been pushed through the FCC. I just now heard about it. This is a monopolistic shame. Finally after years of the Telephone Company promises, and worthless cable internet that goes down for hours at a time, I have finally found a good Internet Service Provider: TPISP Internet. They are small. They are local. They give lessons at NO CHARGE. My grandmother goes to the Senior Citizen's Center and TPISP gave them free computers AND internet. They even work on computers. My son's went down from something he did, and they fixed it. When I asked How Much, they told me it was too small of a fix to charge for.

These people are great in our small town. They provide a few jobs, and I guess pay taxes that help our own town and not some big phone company or big business. And from what I now understand, you people up there in your ivory towers who don't know what it's like to be on a budget and have to hope for the best think the small ISPs don't mean fair competition.

Well, let me tell you something. I vote. I vote in every election. And I'm going to tell everyone I vote for that if they support a decision like that, then they don't deserve to be in office. You leave the small ISPs alone. They may not be FAST.....who cares? They work. Let the people who make all those viruses and junk mail and all the stuff we don't like be FAST. I just want my Internet--AND to keep my Internet Service Provider. I don't WANT a phone company. They don't help you or do anything for your community. I don't want cable. It's too expensive and doesn't work half the time. Even if it did, they don't know anything about computers and my ISP does.

JUST LEAVE IT ALONE !!

Yes, I know, I'm just one voice. But I can voice it to a lot of people, and so will others. You are letting the Bells and Baby Bells and Cable and DSL be the ONLY ones. How about us who just want inexpensive and affordable internet?

Don't do it.

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Sincerely,

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